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WHEELING, WEST VA., MONDAY MORNING, JUNE 12, 1876.

The Intelligencer.

Were the Rag Baby Fellows Whipped at Charleston?

The New York Herald's correspondent at Charleston telegraphs to that paper of

Saturday as follows:

"The electors and delegates to St. Louis being the last on the list in order of business, were not reached until long after daylight, at which time the assemanter daylight and the daylight blage in the wigwams had degenerated to more of a free and easy mob than a body more of a free and easy mob than a body governed by any parliamentary rules. Everything passed off good humoredly, harmoniously and quietly, and the infla-tionists having been whipped into the traces that resulted in a compromise for hard money naturally acquiesced in all the subsequent proceedings."

And yet notwithstanding the remark of

the Herald's correspondent that the infla-tionists were "whipped into the traces," he goes on to say, further along in hi dispatch, that, "financially analyzed," the the delegation stands "seven inflationists and three advocates of hard money. The securing of such a delegation (h says) "was the only successful stroke of policy gained by the softs in the Conven How they gained this point is ex-

plained thus:

"They waited patiently till this morning, when the hards, fatigued by the labors of an entire night's session, had principally left the Wigwam in which the Convention was held, and thus secured a majority of the delegation for the Ohio rag baby. This was done under the manipulation of II. S. Walker, the aspirant for Congress, who signally failed in effecting the passage of the inflation resolutions and the hobby of the removal of the Capital. His chances for the Congressional nomination are considered weakened by the verdict against him in the Convention."

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We presume that the "hard money men" in the delegation are J. N. Camder of Parkersburg, and Wils Beall, of Wellsand possibly also G. D. Camden. Sims one of the delegates from the Third Dis trict, is put down as an out and out Bill Allen man. The balance of the delegation is said to favor Thurman for President. "For second choice they are divided be tween Allen and Hendricks, one alone of the delegates expressing a preference for Bayard as a third choice.'

Taken all in all, we are at a loss to how it can be said that the rag-baby ele-ment sustained much, if any, of a defeat at Charleston. The fi-nancial plank in the platform adopted is certainly not a hard mone declaration by a good deal. So that if i slone constitutes the defeats of the rag babies they were not very heavily thrown to the ground. Here is the financial resolution adopted by the Convention :

intion adopted by the Convention:

"That while we belong to a debtor State, and believe that the Republican party has treated such States unfairly and unjustly by its financial policy, and while we favor an immediate repeal of the specie resumption act, taxation of United States bonds like other property, and the abolution of the present banking system, yet at the same time we comparisonally deprecate the effort to divide the Democratic party upon issues involving money only, and recommend that such issues be remitted to the Congressional districts, of years party of the same the device of the same time we county returned to the Congressional districts, of years party and constitutional questions which underlie the existence of the Union and its institutions.

Those who voted for the majority re port, of which the above is a plank, may consider it a great triumph over Walker's minority report. And may be it was, bu when we couple with it the sending of seven inflationists to St. Louis the magni tude of the triumph does not seem very

A CORRESPONDENT of the New York Herald has been interviewing the member of the Ohio delegation to Cincinnati, and among them the two members from th Belmont district. They express them selves as follows on the subject of the

him any longer. After Hayes he confesses his preference for Halms. His third chole is Morton-Mr. John Lennex, of Freedom, Noble county, also, as a matter of Mate pride, will give his listing to to Governor Hayes, as he believes him descring well of Ohlo, but the interests of the party alraye will guide his subsequent action, and if it is Coukling, or Morton, or Bisine who receives the commitation he will give the ticket his cortifal support. His second choice is Blaine and his third toukling.

ATTORNEY - GENERAL MATHEWS, Democratic nominee for Governor, is a son-in-law of the late Judge Joseph Fry, formerly of this city. He married Miss Lucy Fry some time before the war. Those who have a memory for social events will remember that James B. Blingham, then editor of the Wheeling Times created a monantary assession in the Company of the Wheeling States of the Company of the Times, created a momentary sensation by heralding the event to the public as conspicuous occurrence in high life in our midst. People were not so accus tomed in those days, as they are now to having affairs of the kind written up in

THERE will be at least one Third term man in the West Virginia delegation to Cincinnati. Mr. Richard Burke, editor of the Monroe Register, who is an alternate member of the delegation from the Third district, comes out in his last paper for another four years for Ulysses. He hopes that the Convention will be drawn by a kind Providence to the same con clusion," We have no idea they will. We have a better opinion of Providence than that. If, however, such an improb able event should occur, we shall attribute it to Simon Cameron and exhonerate

WEST VIRGINIA COLLEGE,-The anni versary exercises of this college, aituated at Flemington, Taylor county, W. Va., by the hose-cart and seriously injured. will consume about one week's time. The following is the order of exercises: Sunlollowing is the order of exercises: Sunday evening, June 25th, Baccalaurent sermon by the President; Tuesday and Wednesday, June 27th and 28th, public examination of classes; Wednesday evening, June 28th, address before the Lycem by Prof. W. Colegrove; Thursday, June 28th, eighth annual Commencement; Thursday, evening, the President's levee; Friday, June 30th, meeting of the Alumnia Association; Saturday, July 1st, meeting of the Board of Trustees:

The Colorado delegation came down with them, and they are also for Blaine. The Combined delegations sent a dispatch this morning to Mr. Blaine, assuring him of their support.

THE St. Louis jail must be a very freeand-easy establishment, judging from the "high jinks" that take place there occasionally. We find in the St. Louis Republican a report of a vocal screnade given by the Owl Club to Wm. McKee senior proprietor of the St. Louis Globe-Democrat, and Con Maguire, who were sentenced to imprisonment for their complicity with the Whisky Ring. Says the

"The jail is a fine place for a musical soirce, and when the reporter entered he discovered that the distinguished prisoners were evidently of that opinion. Both were in their shirt sleeves, Uncle Billy extracting solid comfort from a fragrant Hayana as he listened to the singing and Con leaning lazily against one of the large from pillars of the court. The celebrated 'Owl Cilb' furnished the music, singing such familiar songs as 'Go 'way, ole man,' 'Old' Black Joe,' 'Larboard Watch,' 'Music in the Air,' &c.''

One of the songs they rendered con-

One of the songs they rendered co cluded with the refrain:

"Pray for Babcock, pray for Babcock-The impudence of the Whisky Rin does not fail them in their hour of tria

THE CHARLESTON TICKET,-The Mar tinsburg Independent, edited in part by Mr. Logan, late member of the Demo cratic State Committee, rather damns the ticket with faint praise. It says that 'while not the strongest in all respects that could have been put forth it is however up to the average.'

"The ready execution of the ticket is the candidates for the Court of Appeals bench. They are all clever gentlemen and fair lawyers, but hardly up to the standing demanded for this important position, if we except one of them."

The "was" except one of them."

Okey's voice is weak.

STEURESVILLE NEWS-RAILROAD VALU ATION, &c.-Steubenville still complain

Commencement exercises are in pro

gress at the Steubenville Seurinary. Dr Reid preached the baccalaureate sermo yesterday. Commencement day on Wednesday.

The length of the Pittsburgh, Cincinnati & St. Louis Railroad in Jefferson is 22.7. The valuation in the county is \$6,200. The length of the inence. Cleveland & Pittsburgh in the same county is 38.7, the valuation \$128,000, and the tax \$14,700. The valuation in each town ship of the county is as follows: Salem \$242,855; Irondale, \$48,140; Knox, \$131,-

The number of deaths in Jefferson county returned to the Probate Judge from March 31st, 1875, to March 31st, 1876, was 230, and the number of births for the same period 651.

Rev. J. M. Thoburn, who for a number

Rev. J. M. Thoburn, who for a number of years past has been a missionary to In-dia, preached at the Kramer Chapel yeaterday morning and evening. The Disciples' Sunday Schools of Steu-benville, Bellaire, Wellsburg and Wheel-ing propose holding a union picnic at Warren on the 17th inst. A boat will be chartered for the occasion.

BELLATRE LOCALS.-Pursuant to th

Austin, V. T. Morgan, Jacob Heathering-ton, Wm. Blackstone, Louis Ransome. Second Ward—Geo. Poorman, Richard Crozier, John McCormick, Harrison Bute, P. Sherry. Third Ward—Col. Poorman, John F. Kelly, Dr. Junkins, H. M. Ingles, E. P.

erle, Rev. Jesse Hargrave.
Fourth Ward-D. W. Leet, D. J. Murray, A. W. Anderson, C. Bippis, E. G. Morgan.

forgan. Fifth Ward-Gen. Hoge, G. R. Laiz re, S. S. McGowen, A. L. Wetherald

Yesterday was Floral Sunday at t Disciples Church. The decorations ha been allowed to remain, and this eveni a concert will be given by members the church assisted by Heatherington Band, for the benefit of the Sunday Scho-Friday a mare at Crozier's livery stabl fonled a large colt, perfectly developed i all its form, with the exception of th

all its form, with the exception of the fore legs, which are entirely wanting. It attracted numerous curious people Saturday, and may yet be seen at the stable.

The new militia company roll will probably be full to-day, and the action of the Governor known by the end of the week. It will probably be Company D, of the 7th Regiment of Ohio National Guards.

FIRE RECORD.

GALESBURG, I.L., June 10.—A fire here to-day destroyed G. W. Barrett's grain warehouse and elevator and a number of other small establishments. Loss \$12,000; insured.

Allegan, Mich., June 10.—A fire last night destroyed a dwelling house owned and occupied by J. Morse. The contents were mostly destroyed; loss \$3,000; no in-

The Kausas and Colorado Dele

By Telegraph

ASSOCIATED PRESS REPORT

TO THE DAILY INTELLIGENCER Sudden Illness of Mr. Blaine. WASHINGTON, June 11 .- This morning short time before 11 o'clock Ex-Speaker Blaine left his residence in company with Mrs. Blaine, and slowly walked to the Congregational Church, about three-fourths of a mile from their home. Just as they reached the church he complainso overcome with sudden illness that he and he was assisted to a seat on the steps, when he exclaimed, "Oh, this pain." conveyance having been procured, Mrs. Blaine returned with him to the house, he then being unconscious. A bed was brought into the front parlor on which he was laid, and a messenger having been sent for Surgeon-General Barnes and Doctors Bliss, Cox, Verdi and Pope, they oon appeared and lost no time in cupping the spine and resorting to other From 11 o'clock till 4 in the afternoon irregularly, his wife and physicians and other friends remaining at his bedside all the time. The physicians said that Mr. ment of the brain and nervous system uperinduced by recent events in which he was the prominent actor, and besides standing demanded for this important position, if we except one of them."

The "one" exception referred to is, of course, Judge Haymond. The weak brothers are Green and Okey, especially slow type of malarial fever, but appear slow type of mainran lever, out appears before the sub-committee who were in-vestigating the charges against him, be-fore he had fully recovered from the ef-fects of that disease, this in connection with the excitement on his part, both be of July triumphal arch, on the ground that they can use the iron again while the large numbers of persons daily in that they can use the iron again while the lumber would be wasted his extensive correspondence, including very many telegrams from all parts of the country, especially during the last week, the loss of rest and other cause

week, the loss of rest and other causes
produced the strain upon his mind that
caused his sudden illness to-day.
Secretary Bristow called at the house
as soon as he heard of Mr. Blaine's illness
also Secretaries Robeson and Chandler Posmaster General Jewell, General Sher city is \$78,087 and the tax paid to the carnet servy and radaces, vennot confined to political friends, many Democrats calling to inquire about his condition and regretting his sudden illess. About 4 o'clock Blaine's con-038; Island Creek, \$206,793; Steubenville was the matter, and she replied that he township, \$131,784; city, \$70,240; Wells, \$128,291; Lagrange, \$16,954; Warren stronger in bed unaided. His \$128,000 to the first time, turned over in bed unaided. His breathing now was better and stronger they applied electricity. They say his symptons are favorable, although he does them said in a private conversation e attack was clearly a sun stroke or heat stroke, which Blaine was rendered liable to on ac count of his recent illness, over work, ex-citement and loss of rest. The physician further said that at first he was apprehen sive that the attack might be apoplectic, but examination disclosed no symptoms

BELLARRE Locals.—Pursuant to the call of the Mayor, a large number of citizens met at the City Hall Saturday night to arrange for the celebration of the Centennial Anniversary of American Independence. Mayor Strahlwas chosen Chairman, and Wills. Faris Secretary. An invitation was extended to all the organized societies to participate as bodies, and to the citizens of every nationality, race or color to take part. Committees from the Red Men, Odd Fellows, and from several of the Sabbath Schools, assured the meeting of their co-operation in any suitable ceremonies. The following is Executive Committee was appointed, to report at an adjourned meeting on next Friday evening:

First Ward—Geo. D. Cullen, Squire Friday evening:

Second Ward—Geo. Poorman, Richard

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Second Ward—Geo. Poorman, Richard pils of the eyes are normal; he has spokes several times, and recognizes his family. He lies quietly and breathes naturally, and is disposed to sleep. He has reand complete recovery. G. W. Pops.

At 8:30 P. M. Dr. Bliss remarked that the patient's attack was yielding to the treatment with great rapidity.

The following telegram was received this evening by Mrs. Blaine from Con-gressman Hale at Cincinnati: "There is great relief here at the favorable news of Mr. Blaine's condition Tell him that his cause has improved all day, each State coming in better than we expected. No wonder he had a had turn The strain has been tramendous!

Washington, June 11 .- At 12:45 A, M Mr. Blaine was still sleeping quietly and naturally. At 12:30 Mr. Kerr's condi-tion seemed improved; he is resting easi-

Lynching in California.

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San Francisco, June 10.—A dispatch from Santa Rosa says that last night one hundred and filty armed men went to the jall in that town, overpowered the keeper, took Thos. W. Henley, confined, waiting the action of the grand jury for killing James Bowland, a prominent citizen, boot, a weath area and hungs him to a love. about a month ago, and hung him to a tree a mile from town. The body was discovered this morning. Public senti-ment is disposed to believe the action of the mob in the interest of justice.

Witnesses in Blaine Investiga-

Sr. Louis, June 10 .- Judge Usher and Sr. Louis, June 10.—Judge Usher and Mr. Brotherton, of Lawrence, Kansas, are here, or route to Washington, to testify before the Judicary Committee in the Kansas Pacific Railroad bond matter. Judge Usher is sick, and will stop over here a short time. Hessys his testimony will confirm that of Stewart, given some time sgo, in exoneration of Biaine from all connection with the Kansas Pacific bonds.

to the thieves as yet.

Brutal Murder-Pursuit and Arrest of the Murderer.

BLANCHESTER, O., June 10.—On last tation, and together they started on the fatal ride. Bigham was driving his own team to a litwo-horse spring wagon, and had proceeded but a short distance from town, when Brunk pulled out a brace of revolvers and told Bigham to say his prayers. Brunk then opened fire, and, after sending two bullets into the brain of his unoffending victim, heat his head into a shapeless mass. Persons living near the road, hearing the shots, rushed out in time to see the final scene of the bloody tragedy. After covering Bigham with a horse blanket, Brunk whipped the horses into a run, and started on his secape, with the body of his murdered companion still in the wagon. Parties immediately started in pursuit, but dark intervening too quickly Brunk escaped, leaving the wagon near Clinton Valley, and took to the woods. The search was abandoned for the night, but long before daylight crowds of horsemen collected at the point where the trace was lost, and gave a vigorous pursuit. At least five hundred men were scouring the country in all directions. He was caplured to-day at 12 o'clock, at the residence of his father. some ten miles from least two hundred men were scouring the country in all directions. He was captured to-day at 12 o'clock, at the residence of his father, some ten miles from here. He was brought here this evening in charge of a strong pose, and is now having his preliminary examination. The town is in a fever-heat of excitement, and the friends of lynch law are loud and the friends of lynch law are lot in their clamor for summary vengeand He will, if not molested, be taken to W mington, the county seat, but doubt-of his safety are freely expressed. Brunk is a mere boy, about nineteen, but is noted as a desperado and a bad character generally. A roward of \$100 was offered this morning, which will be claimed by

his morning, which will be claimed by constable Cramer, the arresting officer. The incentive to this fiendish murder s not definitely known, but it is supposed is not definitely known, but it is supposed that Brink's motive was to obtain pos-session of about forty dollars which Big-hum is known to have had about his per-son, and which was missing when the the Coroner's inquest was held.

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The Dispute Between Two Centennial Boards.

PHILADELPHIA, June 10.—The conflict of authority between the United States Centennial Commissioners and the Centennial Board of Finance, which for some time has existed, is approaching a crisis. The dispute at present turns principally on the points as to whether the Commission can compet the Board of Finance to pay salaries to the President and other officers of the former body, and to appoint the necessary police force of to fix its compensation. The Board of Finance contend that as they are intrusted with the money, and as their President and Treasurer are under heavy bonds for the proper expenditure of it, the Board should have absolute control of the funds. The conflict has been intensified within a short time by some actions and demands of the Commission, and the Board of Finance have recently sought the opinions of eniment lawyers. The evening Telegraph, to-day, will publish eight columns, reviewing the state of the case, and giving copies of the opinions furnished by Charles O'Conor, Abraham Browning, Cortlandt Parker, John C. Bullitt, Richard L. Ashusat, Henry Whorton, William Henry Rawler, Richard C. McMastrie, and William Hers. The opinions are unamimous in sustaining the Board of Finance or the popinions of the complete of the case, and giving copies of the opinions yilliam H. Hirst. The opinions are unamimous in sustaining the Board of Finance or the proper of the contribution of the contribution. Mr. Morilliam H. Hirst. The opinions are unamimous in sustaining the Board of Finance. O'Conor, Abraham Browning, Cortlandt Parker, John C. Bullitt, Richard L. Ashusat, Henry Whorton, William Henry Rawler, Richard C. McMastrie, and William Henry Rawler, Richa

congestion, nor any symptom of paraly-is. He has free use of his limbs, the pu-fused to pay the Syphers \$2,000.

Notice From the Western Union Telegraph Company.

sponded excellently to the treatment, and Union Telegraph Command the Wester Union Telegraph Company will, whenth party addressed, calls at, or is convenien to the office, deliver half rate messages th to the office, deliver half rate messages the same evening that they are transmitted. The minimum rate for such messages will be 20 cents instead of 25 cents, as here tofore. In effect, this change transform the half rate messages into a second-class day business. John Morgan, Jr., Manager

New York Canal Register Cor

wieted.

Buffalo, June 10.—The case of George D. Lord, on trial for frauds upon the State in corn canal contracts, was given to the jury this afternoon. A verdict of guilty was reached iff an hour's deliberation. Lord was released on \$25,000 bail. Sentence will be moved-for on Monday. The penalty is not exceeding \$5,000 fine or five years' imprisonment, or both. An attempt will be made to carry the case to the Court of Appeals.

Murder in Kansas

Murder in Kannas.

Forr Scott, Ks., June 10.—The body of a man named Celestine Disperse was found seven miles north of this city this evening, with his head cut open and otherwise horribly mangled. A hatchet covered with blood was discovered near the body. J. B. Veith, a partner of Disperse in the business of peddling harvees, oil, &c., has been arrested. There is strong circumstantial evidence against him. Heavy Rain Fall.

Syracuse, N. Y., June 10.—Between ialf-past 4 and 8 r. M. yesterday, eight nches of rain fell in this city. Cellars were flooded, and the Central Railroad unnel, under the canal, had five feet of rater in it, making the passage of trains mpossible. Post-Office Robbed.

KENDALVILLE, IND., June 10 postoffice was burglarized at this place last night, and the safe blown open. Three hundred dollars in money and \$350 in stamps were stolen. No clue to

The Pittsburgh Puddlers. PITEBURGH, June 10.—The puddler met to-day and rejected the compromise proposed by the manufacturers, and deci-ded to continue the lock-out.

CONGRESS.

HOUSE.

WASHINGTON, June 9. WASHINGTON, June 9.

Mr. Baker, of Indiana, offered a resolution calling on the Secretary of the Treasury to report the amount of Internal Revenue taxes paid by the Baltimore & Ohio and Central Pacific Railroads from July 1, 1864, to December 31, 1876. Adopted. The bill providing that, when Colorado is admitted as a State, the laws of the United States shall have the same force as elsewhere, and that the State shall constitute one Judicial District, was passed.

Mr. Cox, from the Committee on Banking and Currency, reported a bill for the issue of \$10,000,000 silver coinage in exchange for legal tender notes. He moved the previous question and refused to admit an amendment, offered by Mr. Mills, to repeal the Resumption Act. The previous question was seconded, 85 to 35, and the House then voted by ayes and nays on ordering the previous question, which was ordered, and the bill was passed without division.

Mr. Cox also reported Mr. Randall's bill authorizing the purchase of bullion for that purpose, which was passed, with amendments striking from the second section the words "or in exchange for legal tender notes at 'par," also the words "or exchange."

Willis.

While he was speaking a large piece of thick plate glass, which forms the roof, fell close to several members, but no one was injured. The attention of the Speaker being called to the fact that work-

Cotton Crop Report.

MEMITIIS, June 10.—The Memphis Cotton Exchange Crop Report for May, issued this afternoon, gives the following aummary from 155 responses, average date June 1, to-wit: West Tennessee 52. Northern Mississippi 53, Arkansas north of the Arkansas River 50, report 14 per cent decreased acreage of cotton, and 14 per cent of cotton lands overflowed, and a damage of 564.00 per cent by overflow; 117 report the weather less favorable in April than last year, on account of excessive rains and cold, with the month of May more favorable; 14 report more May more favorable; 14 report more favorable throughout, and 7 less favora-ble throughout; 17 report the weather about the same; 49 report cotton stands lavorable throughout; 17 report the weather about the same; 49 report cutton stands nover better; 86 good; 20 report not so good as last year; 100 report stands not yet up; the crop is estimated to be 9 days later than last year; there has been a decrease of 10 per cent in the number of laborers in this district; the labor morale is better than in 1875; 146 report laborers working well, 9 not working well, 21 report no commercial fertilizers used; 34 answer about 7 the same. These latter have reference almost entirely to homemade manufactured; no commercial fertilizers used; 137 report the cort of the same and the same an

Proposition for a Settlement with Creditors. NEW YORK, June 10.—Cochran, Mc-Lean & Co., dry goods, publish a state-ment to their creditors showing their as-sets to be \$2.054,000, liabilities \$1,600,000. Apparent surplus, \$47,000. The largest item in the assets is open accounts, \$821,-000. The firm offer 85 cents on the dol-lar, five cents on July 1, five cents in August, ten cents each in September, October and November, twenty-five cents in December, and ten cents each in January and March next. For these amounts the firm is to give its own unit dorsed notes not bearing interest, on further note for interest on these defer red payments, and one for the remaining ifteen per cent of indebtedness, to be held nittee of the creditors, who shall

decide in April next whether the pay-ment of it shall be exacted of the firm.

The Kerr Investigation.

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WASHINGTON, June 10.—Wm. F. G. Shanks, city editor of the New York Tribune, testified before the Kerr Investigating Committee, to-day, that he had an interview with Harney, relstive to the alleged payment of \$450, and Harney told him: "I have never said that there was any money in the matter."

Representatives Clymer, Blackburn and Danford have agreed to report fully vindicating Mr. Kerr. Mesers, Robbins and Bass, the only other members of the committee, are absent, but their colleagues entertain no doubt whatever of their concurrence. The case will probably not be formally closed until their return.

MASSACHUSETIS CONTESTED CASE.

MASSACHUSETIS CONTESTED CASE, In the Massachusetts contested election case, a majority of the House Committee voted to report in favor of seating the contestant, Abbott. The minority will report that Frost, the sitting member, is entitled to the seat.

ARMY APPROPRIATION BILL. The House Committee on Appropria-Generals to the present status, and added a section to the present army bill provid-ing for the designation by the President of five officers who shall examine into all complaints, charges, &c., against offi-cers, therein providing that no officer whose rank or promotion shall be affect-ed by the action of said Board shall be a member of it, and two of such Board shall be of rank higher than the officer whose conduct may be under investigation.

KERR'S HEALTH. Speaker Kerr is better to-day, and will colourn for a few days at the Rives country-seat.

RESIGNED. John A. Graham; of Iowa, for a long ime Assistant Register of the Treasury, as resigned.

CALDWELL DISPATCH. Josiah Caldwell has telegraphed to his agent here, in answer to an inquiry, that he forwarded the dispatch received by Mr. Knott in relation Mr. Blaine. BLAINE INVESTIGATION.

The sub-Judiciary Committee met this afternoon to continue the investigation of the connection of ex-Speaker Blaine with the Kansas Pacific Railroad. Joseph B. Stewart took the stand, but before testifying Mr. Lawrence on behalf seph B. Stewart took the stand, but be-lore testifying Mr. Lawrence, on behalf of Mr. Blaine, stated that as his col-leagues, Frye and Hale, who had been adding him in the investigation, were both absent from the city, it would be desirable to him to have a postponement for three or four days. The committee, then, after a consultation, dicided to post-

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Mr. Hunton then said to Mr. Blaine,
The Committee desire me to again request the production of the letters taken
from Mulligan."

Mr. Blaine—You know the grounds on
which I claim possession of them.

Mr. Chairman [Mr. Hunton]—Yes, sir.
Mr. Blaine—I haven't changed my
mind.

Mr. Chairman—Mr. Lawrence said

mind.

Mr. Chairman—Mr. Lawrence said that he understood only one of the letters had connection with the case, and even Mulligan did not claim that any of the others alluded to bonds. So he wished to be understood as non-concurring in the request of the committee for the letters.

Mr. Blaine said—I am glad Judge Lawrence non-concurs, and that it is only the majority of the committee that asks for the letters.

Mr. Hunton—The committee also request me to ask you to produce the memorandum accompanying the letters.

Mr. Blaine—I have the same reason against producing the letters.

Mr. Hunton—Then I understand you to decline to give them up?

Mr. Blaine—Yes, sir.

Mr. Ashe said that the other day hestated that he knew nothing about the Caldwell dispatch till he heard Mr. Blaine allude to it on the floor of the House. He now wishes to add to that statement that he intended no reflection on others of the committee.

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Mr. Blaine said he had offered to produce the only letter Mulligan swore had any hearing on the case, and if the committee would make a request specifying the letter which bore on the case he would

produce it.

Mr. Hunton, without waiving the request for the whole of the letters, said: I now ask for the production of the letter alluded to by Mullgan, and also the memorandum prepared by Mullgan.

Mr. Blaine—If you make that request on the general principle that you have a right to demand the whole of the letters, I decline to furnish it.

The committee adjourned till Monday. FORT PIERRE ROUTE TO BLACK MILLS. The order closing the Fort Pierre oute to the Black Hills has been so far addified as to permit provisions accumulated at Fort Pierre to go forward, but without a military escort. The commanding officer at Fort Pierre is instructed to see that parties transporting provisions are well armed and able to prevent stores from falling into the hands of hostile Indians. Members of the Northwestern delegation, who procured this modification, say they have assurance that so long as there are people to feed in the Black Hills, responsible parties who will undertake to protect themselves will be allowed to take in subsistence over the Missouri and Fort Pierre robite. No military protection, however, will be given on any route through an Indian reservation. mulated at Fort Pierre to go forward,

Blaine and the Michigan Dele-

DETROIT, June 10.-Unquestionably DETROIT, June 10.—Unquestionally the events of the past week have impaired Mr. Blaine's strength in this State, and his hold upon the Michigan delegation will be much less firm than seemed probable. For instance, one of the most prominent of the delegates, hitherto classed for him, is W. S. George, the owner of the State printing contract and editor of the Lansing Republican. In his paper this week, he says as to the Mulligan letters: "There are certain passages in those letters in reference to the part taken by the ex-Speaker in so shaping legislation as to favor private corporations that call Mr. Blaine's strength in this State, and his hold upon the Michigan delegation will be much less firm than seemed probable. For instance, one of the most prominent of the delegates, hitherto classed for him, is W. S. George, the owner of the State printing contract and editor of the Lansing Republican. In his paper this week, he says as to the Mulligan letters:

"There are certain passages in those letters in reference to the part taken by the ex-Speaker in so shaping legislation as to favor private corporations that call for too much apology and explanation. Congress may be captured by a brilliant dramatic exhibition; the personal magnetism of Blaine may thrill the hearts of his followers but the versus his feet.

dramatic exhibition; the personal mag-netism of Blaine may thrill the hearts of his followers, but the people in this Cen-tennial year are not going to elect dra-matically, or stay thrilled by a personal magnetism. The hard times will make magnetism. The hard times will make them look at the hard facts about every candidate; especially touching his busi-ness gains through public or official life, by influencing legislation."

The Indians.

OMAIIA, June 10.—A dispatch received at department headquarters to-day from the commanding officer at Fort Laramie, says a war party of about fifty Indians Indians ran off twenty head of horses from Kelly's ranche, on Chumwater, this morning. Egan was sent in pursuit. Further Reduction of Fares.

Billiards.

OMAHA, NEU., June 10.—In a social game of French carom billiards this even-evening, Tennie McAfee, of this city, inade a run of 301 shots.

New York, June 10.—The Pennsylvania Railroad Company continues forcing the properties of the city, inade a run of 301 shots.

New York, June 10.—The billiard tournament game to-night, Sexton defeated Rudolph. Score—600 to 480.

Further Reduction of Fares.

New York, June 10.—The Pennsylvania Railroad Company continues forcing the continues these reductions: To Cincinnati, \$12. Indianapolis, \$13. Corresponding the Company of the Chicago, \$14. Indianapolis, \$15. Louis \$18. Corresponding the Company of the Chicago, \$14. Indianapolis, \$15. Louis \$18. Corresponding the Company of the Chicago, \$14. Indianapolis, \$15. Louis \$18. Corresponding to the Chicago, \$14. Indianapolis, \$15. Louis \$18. Corresponding to the Chicago, \$14. Indianapolis, \$15. Corresponding to the Chicago, \$14. Indianapolis, \$15. Louis \$18. Corresponding to the Chicago, \$14. Indianapolis, \$15. Louis \$18. Corresponding to the Chicago, \$14. Indianapolis, \$15. Louis \$18. Corresponding to the Chicago, \$14. Indianapolis, \$15. Louis \$18. Corresponding to the Chicago, \$14. Indianapolis, \$15. Louis \$18. Corresponding to the Chicago, \$14. Indianapolis, \$18. Corresponding the Chicago, \$14. Indianapolis, \$18. Corresponding the Chicago, \$14. Indianapolis, \$18. Corresponding the Chicago, \$18. Louis \$18. Corresponding to the Chicago, \$18. Louis \$

FOREIGN NEWS.

Religious Riot.

Hong Kong, May 15.—A religious riot occurred April 24 in Chung Kingta, of Szechran Province. About twenty native Christians were killed, and some three ndred houses burned.

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THE MARGARY APPAIR.

It is confidently reported that the Margary affair will be reopened by the British authorities, who for a long time past have had in contemplation the necessity for dealing with the matter in a new and more violent way.

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It is also stated that energetic measures
would have been adopted a year ago, if
the British had been ready for hostile
operations. The delay of the long negotiations and the mission of Grosvenor was tiations and the mission of Grosvenor was intended to disguise inability to act at the moment. It is now considered certain that the investigation of Yannan will have no practical result. Grosvenor and and Bakerfare said to have accomplished nothing, and Si Ham Chang has made no report upon which hope of stipulated redress can be based. Friendly communications between Wade, the British minister, and the Pekin officials/shave almost ceased. The British Flying Squadron is ordered to hold itself in readiness at Chiiu.

CONSTANTINOPLE, June 10 .- The Gran

CONSTANTIOPLE, June 10.—The Grand Vizier has addressed a circular to the Governors of the Provinces suspending the regulations promulgated during the reign of the late Sultan, and ordering them to await fresh laws.

Servia, in reply to an inquiry of Turkey, as to the meaning of her armament, affirms its pacific intentions, and declares it will not attempt anything against the integrity of Turkey. A special Envoy will be sent to Constantinople to give explanations in order to consolidate the good understanding between the two countries.

BELGRADE, June 10.—During the last few days the representatives here of all the Powers have united in impressing upon Prince Mian that the full responsi-bility for an eventual disturbance of the peace would rest with Servia. The Rus-sian diplomatic agent was especially en-ergetic in these representations.

ENGLAND. The Winslow Case.

The Winslow Case.
LONDON, June 10.—Sir Henry James,
Liberal member for Taunton, has given
notice in the House of Commons that on
Monday he will nask whether Secretary
Fish's dispatch of the 22d of May, relating to the case of Winslow, reached the
Foreign Office on the 6th of June, and
whether there is any objection to lay it
on the table of the House. It is certain
the Government will not again ask for
Winslow's remand unless it be decided
to have the whole matter argued before
the full bench, of which there is some
probability. probability.

The Workmen Delegation to Philadelphia.

Philadelphia.

VersallLies, June 10.—The Senate today, by a vote 163 to 3, passed the grant
voted by the Chamber of Deputies for
sending a delegation of French workmen
and agriculturists to the Centennial Exhibition. The party of the Right abstained from voting.

MONTREAL, June 10.—The foot and mouth disease has broken out with great virulence among logs at Outremont Hundreds are dead and dying. BERLIN, June 10 .- The weekly state

ment of the Bank of Germany shows decrease of 2,655,000 marks.

Jerome Park Races.

NEW YORK, June 10.—The fourth day f the spring meeting of the American ockey Club, at Jerome Park, brought at a good attendance, and was favored

The first race, for a purse of \$500, one mile and one-eighth, was won by the favorite, Spendrift. Time, two-minutes. The second race was for the Belmont stakes, for three-year-olds, one and a half miles. There were five starters, Fiddlestick Algerine, Barricade, Redcoat, and Brother to Bassett. Fiddlestick was the savorite at \$1,100 to \$450. The race was won by Algerine. Fiddlestick second, Barricade third. Time, 2:40½. Redcoat gave out after three-quarters of a mile. The third race was for the Jockey Club Handlicap Sweepstakes, two miles. Tom Chiltree Madge, Lejaps, Donnybrook,

The third race was for the Jockey Club Handicap Sweepstakes, two miles. Tom Ochiltree, Madge, Lelaps, Donnybrook, Kildare, Grey Nun, Chesapeake, and Viator started. Tom Ochiltree was the favorite, and won the race in 3:41g Kildare second, Chesapeake third.

The fourth race was for a purse of \$500, the winner to be sold at auction, \$2,500, one mile and three-quarters. Starters-Fleetwood, Shylock, Sunburst, Partnership, Osage, B. F. Carver, Durango, Piccolo, and Papermaker. The race was won by Piccolo in 3:122, Shylock second, and Sunburst third.

The fifth and last race of the day was a handicap steeplechase, on the usual

handicap steeplechase, on the a nanticap steepiechase, on the usual steepiechase course, with six entries: Point Blank, Warlike, Oysterman, jr., Resolute, Risk, and Stanford. The race was won by Stanford. Point Blank sec-ond. Risk, Resolute and Warlike threw their riders.

Butler and Blaine—Republicans of the House Cutting Loose from the Ex-Speaker.

A Herald Washington dispatch speaks of the desertion of Mr. Blanne, in the House, yesterday, by the Republican Con gressmen, and adds that the Blaine move gressmen, and adds that the Biaine move-ment for the Presidency has culminated and the supporters of the ex-Speaker are not, all of them, disposed to urge his nomination any further. The formida-ble character of the defection is shown in the open avowal of Senator Wadleigh, of New Hampshire, that Blaine is no longer an available man for the nomination. Senator Wadleigh is supposed to be friendly to Bristow

riendly to Bristow.

When Mr. Hunton introduced the Blaine business, yesterday, Mr. Blaine ran in from the lunch room so hurriedly that his mouth was full of sandwich.

Weather Report.
WAS DEPARTMENT,
OFFICE OF THE CHIEF SIGNAL OFFICER,
WASHINGTON, D.C., June 12—1 a. m.

A Tilden Club in St. Louis.

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A Tildon Cinb in St. Louis. St. Louis, June 10.—A Tilden club was organized here to-night at a public meeting at the Temple. Capt. George W. Ford was elected President, and among the Vice President are a number of prominent local politicians and gentlemen of influence and standing. Many names were enrolled as members, and the club will no doubt grow rapidly in numerical strength and influence.

NEWS OF THE DAY.

-Francis E. Scott, a boy eleven years old, was drowned at Perrysburg, O., this afternoon, while in swimming. The body was recovered.

was recovered.

—Morris, Coon & Co.'s dry goods store, of Rockford, Mich., was burgiarized of five hundred dollars' worth of goods last night, an entrance being made through the window sash. No trace of the burg-

The river continues to recede slowly ast night the marks indicated 4 feet

Inches.

The Nail City has laid up at Marietta, on account of low water.

The steamer Fanchon will make her debut in the Cincinnati and Pittsburgh debut in the Cincinnati and Pittsburgh trade to-morrow, making her first trip from here in place of the Emma Graham, and thereafter will leave here every Thursday. The Fanchon is of light draught, carrying fully 350 tons on three feet of water. She has a neat and tidy cabin for the accommodation of guests, and, above all, is commanded by a thorough gentleman and experienced officers. Captain T. C. Sweeney, and the well and favorably known clerk, John T. Hambleton, are her chief officers.—Friday's Cincinnati Times.

The Granite State passed down at 8 A. M. Saturday, en route for Portsmouth.

[By Telegraph.]

present, owing to the low water.

[By Telegraph.]

Louisville, June 11.—Weather warm and clear. Arrived—Sandy Schenck and Shinkle, Cincinnati; Golden Rule, New Orleans. Departed—Sandy, Evansville; Rule, Cincinnati; Shinkle, Memphis. River 6 feet 2 inches in canal.

MEMPHIS, June 11.—River 18 feet 9 inches. Mercury 30°. Departed—St. Genevieve, Vicksburg, Maude, St. Louis; Lee Finney, clerk of the latter boat, died this evening of congestion of the brain.

CINCINNATI, June 11.—River 9 feet 7 inches and falling. Weather clear and hot. Arrived—Sherlock, from New Orleans; Baum, from Memphis; John L. Bhoads, from St. Louis.

Evansville, June 11.—Arrived—Parker, from Memphis; Polar Star, from St. Louis; Eddyville, from Nashville, Ætna, from Cincinnati. Departed—Rover, for Pittsburgh; Ed. Hobbs, for St. Louis; Cons. Millar, for Memphis; Capital City, for St. Louis; Cons. Millar, for Memphis; Capital City, for St. Louis; Arkansas Belle, for Vicksburg; Polar Star, for the Tennessee river; Iron Mountain, for St. Louis; Parker, for Cincinnati. River 26 feet 8 inches and falling. Weather clear and hot.

Evansville, June 11.—Weather clear and hot; mercury 90°. River 8 feet and falling. Own—C. P. Huntington, Grey Eagle. Up—AlicegBrown and tow.

LEONHART—On Sunday evening, June 11th, 1876, Louis Francis, on of C. and L. A. Leonhart, uged 8 years and 7 days.

DOWNEY-On Sunday evening, June 11th, st 1:35 o'clock, Harrison Downey, aged 50 years. Funeral notice hereafter:

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The Grante State passed down at S. A. Saturday, en route for Portsmouth.

The Mallie Ragon left for Parkersurg at 10:30 A. M. Saturday.

The Hudson departed for Cincinnati at o'clock Saturday evening, with a good rif. The Salt Valley, from Ironton, passed

The Salt Valley, from Ironton, passed up Saturday night.

The Carrie Brooks did not make her usual trip to Pittaburgh, as a lock on the Muskingum was out of repair and prevented her getting out.

The Exchange passed up yesterday, en route from Cincinnati to Pittaburgh.

The steamer Courier arrived from Charleston on Saturday, and went on the docks.

The Andes will arrive from Cincinnati to-day.

The steamer C. W. Hornbrook arrived from Pittaburgh last evening, and will return to-day.

The steamer Science to-day takes the place of the Express in the Parkersburg trade.

The Fanchon is expected to arrive from Cincinnati to-day, She will probably not go any further up the river at present, owing to the low water.

[By Telegraph.]

aged 5 years and 7 days. Funeral from the residence of his parents, No122 Seventeenth street, on Tuesday at 10 o'clock A. M. Friends of the family are invited to attend.

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